

**OHIO HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION**  
**MINUTES of FALL MEETING – OCTOBER 17, 2011**  
**OHSAA BOARD ROOM, COLUMBUS – 10:00AM**

1. **Welcome - President Tom Barrick** welcomed everyone.
2. **Guests – Kim Combs – OHSAA Foundation Game** – She gave information in regards to playing a foundation game. She explained that fees for playing a foundation game are used for scholarships and leadership conferences. **Jerry Snodgrass – OHSAA Asst. Commissioner** – He offered some insight to the rules meeting procedures, and explained some of the possibilities about individual workouts becoming an all-sports issue.
3. **Opening Prayer – Bob Von Kaenel** led us in prayer.
4. **Roll Call** - Bob Von Kaenel read roll call. Those absent were as follows: Joe Balogh, Dave Schlabach, Amy Taylor-Sheldon, Pat Pavlansky, Rich Venuto, and Dave Krauss.
5. **Minutes - Bob Von Kaenel** Minutes for Sept. 25, 2011 were accepted. 1<sup>st</sup> – Walsh, 2<sup>nd</sup> –Sheldon. Passed 16-0.
6. **Treasurer’s Report – Pat Carroll** was accepted. 1<sup>st</sup> – Stiverson 2<sup>nd</sup> – McBride. Passed 16-0.
7. **Pat Carroll** gave **Election Results - Treasurer** – Pat Carroll (Fairless) was elected. **District 2** – Sean O’Toole (St. Ignatius), **District 4** – Tom McBride (Lake), **District 6** – Chris Sheldon (Western Reserve), **District 8** – Jim Rucki (Findlay), **District 10** – Tony Bisutti (Dublin Scioto), **District 12** – Mark Romick (River Local), **District 14** – Doug Stiverson (Logan Elm), **District 16** – Rich Hoyt (Summit Country Day), **GAC 2 & 3** – Art Daniels (Westlake), **GAC 6 & 7** – Amy Taylor-Sheldon (Bucyrus Wynford), **GAC 5 & 12** – Dave Schlabach (Berlin Hiland), **GAC 15 & 16** – Jill Phillips (Cincinnati Princeton). Motion to accept. 1<sup>st</sup> – Rucki 2<sup>nd</sup> – Spriggs. Passed 16-0.
8. **Membership Report – Pat Carroll.** As of 10/17/11, we have 1,605 members for 2011. Deadline to be a member is 12/31/11. Pat will send updated membership lists on Nov. 1, 15, and Dec. 1, 15 to all directors. Our goal is to have 4,000 members in 2012.
9. **Executive Board Meeting with Dr. Ross and Jerry Snodgrass - Tom Barrick**
  - A) **E-mail addresses for head coaches** – Dr. Ross supplied us with a list of e-mail addresses for head coaches at all schools.
  - B) **State Tournament Hospitality Room** –We expressed our gratitude for getting a room at the Fawcett Center for the OHSBCA, and for parking issues for the OHSBCA. Dr. Ross said that we may be able to get rooms at the *Blackwell* in the future when the football playoffs come to Columbus. We also discussed parking passes as well.
  - C) **Past President’s Breakfast** – Jerry Snodgrass said the OHSAA will help us in the future, and the next banquet would be in 2012-13
  - D) **Future Proposals** – We requested 110 quarters with the addition of 2 more games for next year. Individual workout instruction was also discussed.

**10. District Director Reports –**

**District 1 – Dan Gorski (Boardman) – NONE**

**District 2 – Sean O’Toole (St. Ignatius) – NONE**

**District 3 – Bob Walsh (Elyria) – NONE**

**District 4 – Tom McBride (Lake) – NONE**

**District 5 – Joe Dunlevy (Indian Creek) – NONE**

**District 6 – Chris Sheldon (Western Reserve) –** Chris reported on surveys taken in his district in regards to: a) Individual Instruction Time – 95% for b) 7 day dead period around July 4- 69% for c) officials being hired as crews for tournament games 56% for d) clinic being moved to a Sat-Sun. format – 65% for

**District 7 – Denny Shoemaker (Northview) –** In favor of Individual Workouts and they would like the foundation game NOT to count as a scrimmage

**District 8 – Jim Rucki (Findlay) –** They do not like using a NEW basketball at tournament games; concern over regional tournament sites; and would like to lower the donation requirement for Foundation Games

**District 9 – Kris Spriggs (Kenton Ridge) – NONE**

**District 10 – Tony Bisutti (Dublin Scioto) – NONE**

**District 11 – Pete Liptrap (Pickerington North) –** Tournament Sites Concerns

**District 12 – Mark Romick (River Local) – NONE**

**District 13 – Matt Combs (Vinton County) – NONE**

**District 14 – Doug Stiverson (Logan Elm) – NONE**

**District 15 – Adam Priefer (Centerville) Alt. – NONE**

**District 16 – Rich Hoyt (Summit Country Day) – NONE**

**Girls Advisory Report – G.A.C. Board – NONE**

**11. REVIEW OF ITEMS and UPDATES– Tom Barrick**

**A. Meeting Reimbursement Policy –** Make sure everyone signs a mileage receipt form.

**B. Hall of Honor Clarification –** The OHSBCA has established a Hall of Honor for the OHSBCA. Nominees should be those who have served local associations in a non-head coaching position. For example, Assistant Coaches, Sports Writers, Tournament managers, Media, etc...) This award will be given at the North-South All-Star Games. In 2012 **Districts 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13 and 15** will present winners. They are:

**District 1 –** Loren Lees – Athletic Trainer (Austintown-Fitch HS)

**District 3 –** Tim Gebhardt – Sports Journalist (Elyria Chronicle Telegram)

**District 5 -** Doug Klar – All-Star Game Uniforms (DuMonts Sporting Goods)

**District 7** – Karen Sigler – Northview Scorers (B&G) – (Northview High School)

**District 9** – Bob Susott – District 9 All-Star Game Volunteer Scorer

**District 11** – Carl Dufford – District 11 Treasurer – (Johnstown HS)

**District 13** – Bob Kight – A.D.; Tournament Manager – (Jackson HS)

**District 15** – Dutch Collins – District 15 Treasurer

**C. State Tournament Rooms** – The deadline to order rooms will be February 3, 2012. Larry Wilson stated that you could have a 3-night or 4-night option on the rooms. Cost is \$116.00 per night at the Fairfield Inn and Suites at OSU. You must have tax exempt forms and pay with school information in order to be tax free. Larry will mail proper tax forms near January 6, 2012.

**D. State Tournament Ticket List** – Dave Froelich announced the ticket list and procedures for all who would receive order forms.

**E. NFHS Coach of the Year Nomination Procedures** – Directors should bring nominees to the March meeting. The executive board will select winners at the summer meetings. 1<sup>st</sup> – Gorski, 2<sup>nd</sup> – Spriggs to adopt this procedure. Motion Passed 16-0.

**F. North/South All-Star Game Weekend Assignments** – President Barrick handed out a list to all directors/GAC members/Officers for working assignments during the HOF Weekend. Please be sure to attend and assist at these venues.

12. **North-South Game Report – Wally Vickers, Tom Rettig**
  - a. Date – April 22, 2012
  - b. Site – Capital University
  - c. Times – Div. III/IV Girls – 12:00 Div. I/II Girls 1:30 – Div. III/IV Boys – 3:30 Div. I/II Boys – 5:00
  - d. Concerns – Get information ASAP to game directors. If a coach from your district cannot accept this honor, please let directors know ASAP. J&K Printing will be handling program printing, but information still needs to go to Tom and Wally respectively.
13. **PROPOSALS for OHSAA – In Favor of Individual Workouts.** President Barrick will be meeting to find out if this becomes an all-sports issue.
14. **Ohio-Kentucky Game Report – Doug Stiverson**
  - A. Date – April 7, 2012 Girls Game – 5:00pm Boys Game – 7:00pm
  - B. Site – Thomas More College
  - C. Player nominees to Norm Persin by January 1, 2012.
15. **State Board Meeting Assignments – President Barrick** – He handed out committee assignments and board of control assignments. Tom reminded everyone to please attend or get a replacement if they cannot be there on scheduled dates.
16. **Hall Of Fame Report – Greg Nossaman**

**Class of 2012** – Tom Davis (East Canton), Richard Kiser (Eastern Brown), Rick Van Matre (Greenfield McClain), Jack Van Reeth (West Holmes). 1<sup>st</sup> – McBride 2<sup>nd</sup> – Dunlevy to accept the nominees. Passed 16-0.
17. **Hall Of Fame Banquet Report – Paul Wayne**
  - a. Date – **April 21, 2012**
  - b. Site – **Airport Marriott**
  - c. Time – **5:30 Social Hour 6:30 Dinner**
  - d. Cost - **\$35.00 per ticket** – Past inductees will get one complimentary ticket. The presenter for each inductee will be the OHSBCA President. Districts may purchase a table for \$280.00 dollars.

18. **Paul Walker Award – Bob Von Kaenel.** The 2012 winner is **Steve Williman (Liberty–Benton) District 8.** 1<sup>st</sup>– Rucki 2<sup>nd</sup> – Combs. Passed 16-0.
19. **OHSBCA Clinic Review – Paul Wayne** – It was reported that the clinic was a huge success with our attendance being outstanding. The Sunday/Monday format continued to be a success with over 1,200 in attendance. It was reported that Jay Bilas is a possible speaker for next year. Dave Krauss was commended for his outstanding work.
20. **Hall of Fame Museum Update – Don Henderson/Doc Daugherty-** The Banquet will be held May 19, 2012. Doc and Don handed out the list of new honorees, and encouraged everyone to join the group, and attend the banquet.
21. **Hooplines & Website Report – Larry Wilson.** (1) Handed out information about where we are receiving memberships. (2) Handed out a timeline sheet and schedule of events for the North-South Game Activities. (3) Stated a reminder about getting proper write-ups for all award winners to him by Dec. 1, 2011. (4) Reminded all officers/directors/GAC members to check the recent e-mail of our directory for any additions or corrections. (5) Passed out a sign-up sheet for hotel reservations for the state tournament. (6) Inquired about stationary needs for any officers/directors/GAC. (7) Explained the proposal from the OANG in regards to purchasing awards for the OHSBCA. He is still working on trying to get larger plaques from them. (8) Stated what will be included in future *Hooplines* Editions. (9) Handed out a News Media Information Sheet to be updated by everyone.
22. **TOP 100 Showcase – Pat Carroll/Dave Butcher** –Pat and Dave reported that the structure and process will remain the same. Each district should select 7 players for the Showcase. Pat handed out a new timetable for when each phase of the selection process should be completed. Pat also reported plans to send some information via e-mail to save on costs.
- Date – April 21, 2012.
  - Site – Capital University (Boys) - Denison University (Girls)
  - Time – TBA
23. **Sportsmanship, Ethics & Integrity Award** – Tom Barrick (Districts 1-4). Boys Recipient – **Michael Holt (Cleveland Glenville)**, Girls Recipient – **Art Daniels (Westlake)**. 1<sup>st</sup> – Walsh 2<sup>nd</sup> – Stiverson Passed 16-0
24. **North-South All-Star Game Coaches** – Reports from Sean O’Toole (North Boys), Pat Murphy (South Boys) and Tom Rettig (Girls Coaches)

**North Coaches:** III/IV Girls – Maryann Holderman (Riverdale) D-6  
 Steve Brown (Stryker) D-7  
 Alternate – Stephanie Stevanus (Dalton) D-4  
 I/II Girls - Scott Terry (Keystone) D-3  
 John Cahill (Clyde) D-6  
 Alternate – P.J. Notar (Warren Harding) D-1

**South Coaches:** I/II Girls - Jack Purtell (Reynoldsburg) D-10  
 Tom Benjamin (Springboro) D-15  
 Alternate – Paula Hayden (Sycamore) D-16  
 III/IV Girls - Jack Billing (Anna) D-9  
 Dave Schlensker (Madeira) D-16  
 Alternate – Doug Graham (Ironton) D-13

**North Coaches:** III/IV Boys - Gene Schindewolf (Akron Manchester) D-3  
Aaron Roth (McComb) D-8  
Alternate – Keith Snoddy (Triway) D-4  
I/II Boys - Matt Voll (Carrollton) D-5  
Joe Dunlevy (Indian Creek) D-5  
Alternate – Chris Bihn (Celina) D-8

**South Coaches:** III/IV Boys - Jeff Lisath (Piketon) D-14  
John Willoughby (Houston) D-9  
Alternate - Mark LaFon (Ironton) D-13  
I/II Boys - Dan Fleming (LaSalle) D-16  
Ed Calo (Westerville South) D-10  
Alternates – Greg Woodard (John Glenn) D-12

Motion to accept these coaches for N/S Game. 1<sup>st</sup> – Liptrap 2<sup>nd</sup> – Spriggs. Passed 16-0.

25. **Arnzen and 300 plus Century Winners – Dave Froelich** – These will be handed out at the 2:00pm Saturday game during quarter breaks and half-time. Joe will contact winners and the game announcer to get communication for the presentation. Girls coaching winners will be presented at the Girls State Tournament. Dave presented a list of winners to be approved. 1<sup>st</sup> – Gorski 2<sup>nd</sup> – Dunlevy to accept the list as proposed. Passed 16-0.

26. **Business Items – Tom Barrick**

**A. Constitutional Changes -** – A motion was made make the executive offices 3-year terms. 1<sup>st</sup> – Gorski 2<sup>nd</sup> – Dunlevy. Motion Passed 15-0

**B. Stipend Changes** – A motion was made to change the stipend amounts for the president(\$2,500), Awards Director (\$2,500) and Treasurer (\$5,000) 1<sup>st</sup> – Combs 2<sup>nd</sup> Gorski Motion Passed 15-0

**C. Outstanding Contribution Award – “Larry Wilson Award”** – 1<sup>st</sup> – Gorski 2<sup>nd</sup> – O’Toole to establish this new award which is to be given to a retired coach who continues to make contributions to the association. Motion Passed 15-0. This will be given at the HOF Banquet. Larry Wilson, Doc Daugherty. Don Henderson, and Wayne Wiseman will be the first coaches to be honored.

**D. GAC Voting Proposal** – A motion was made to grant voting privileges to all GAC Members on ALL issues. There will need to be 2 more readings in order to make this constitutional change. 1<sup>st</sup> – Gorski 2<sup>nd</sup> – O’Toole

27. **Important Future Dates**

- a. OHSBCA Membership Deadline – December 31, 2011.
- b. OHSBCA Scholarship due to **Scott Bardall** by March 1, 2012.
- c. BOYS – “POY” – **Greg Nossaman** - “COY” - **Dave Froelich** by March 1, 2012.
- d. GIRLS – “POY” – **Dave Schlabach** – “COY” – **Dave Butcher** by March 1, 2012.
- e. Academic All-Ohio nominations to **Tom Barrick** by March 1, 2012.
- f. Academic Team nominations to **Tom Barrick** by March 1, 2012.
- g. Boys Assistant Coach of Year nominees to **Bob Von Kaenel** by March 1, 2012.
- h. Girls Assistant Coach of Year nominees to **Amy Taylor-Sheldon** by March 1, 2012.
- i. **NEXT MEETING – March 21, 2012– 12:15 @ Fairfield Inn on Olentangy River Road.**

**Committee Meetings** will be March 21, 2011 as follows:

10:00 – **Academic All-Ohio – Tom Barrick, Chairman;** D-1, 3, 6, 7, 8 and 12

10:30 – **Girls Advisory POY, COY and Asst. Meeting – Dave Butcher, Dave Schlabach, Amy Taylor-Sheldon** – All GAC Members

10:45 – **Coaches Scholarship – Scott Bardall, Chairman;** D-4, 6, 8, 9, 13 and 16

10:45 – **Boys POY – Greg Nossaman, Chairman;** D-2, 5, 7, 10, 14 and 15

11:30 – **Boys Asst. COY – Bob Von Kaenel, Chairman;** D-1, 5, 9, 10, 14 and 15

11:30 – **Boys COY – Dave Froelich, Chairman;** D-2, 4, 11, 12, 13 and 16

12:15 – **General Meeting**

**28. Adjournment. 1<sup>st</sup> –O’Toole 2<sup>nd</sup> – Liptrap. Pass 16-0.**

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Von Kaenel/ Secretary